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Sir:

The prosecution of this application has resulted in the cancellation of claims so that less than all the originally named inventors are the actual inventors of the invention being claimed.

Please amend this application to delete William D. Hitz and Catherine J. Thorpe as co-inventors. William D. Hitz and Catherine J. Thorpe are being deleted as co-inventors for this application because their invention(s) is/are no longer being claimed in the application. Thus, in view of this deletion, the named co-inventors will be Rebecca E. Cahoon and Scott V. Tingey.

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